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Utilities Board Objects to Proposed Use of Portion Money from Utilities Sale

Solicitor's Opinion to Be Obtained as to City's Powers as Set Forth in Charter—Unemployment Conference Endorsed—Deal Under Way to Sell Gas from City Well—Protection at Railway Crossings Considered

The regular meeting of the City Council was held Tuesday evening, with all members in attendance. After the adoption of the minutes of last meeting, Messrs. Farnham and Burkholder asked permission to hold a turkey shoot in the basement of the Elks' hall on Saturday of this week, proceeds to go to Christmas cheer. Permission was granted, under supervision of the Chief of Police.

Carl Asp addressed Council asking for financial assistance. City Solicitor Russell and Chief of Police Kingzett reported on the case. It was agreed that temporary relief of \$10.00 a month be granted to Carl Asp on condition that he lives with his brother Hino until further notice.

Mayor Bury of Edmonton, wrote respecting the unemployment situation in the West, asking that Wetaskiwin Council endorse the holding of a meeting of Federal, Provincial and Municipal representatives for the purpose of finding a solution to the problem if possible. The Council favored the proposition.

Mrs. A. Putenau asked Council for relief. Referred to Health and Relief Committee for investigation.

The mineral branch of the Department of Interior, Ottawa, wrote re the application of Wetaskiwin for certain gas rights, advising that the rights requested have been disposed of, with the exception of one section. The Department will be requested to supply plan showing available mineral rights in the vicinity of Wetaskiwin. Council accepted the section which was available.

The Wetaskiwin Public School Board advised that the demise of Dr. N. A. Johnson created a vacancy on the board. Referred to the returning officer for action.

C. H. Russell, solicitor, advised that he had received a letter from the solicitors to the effect that the Calgary Power Co. would not apply to the Board of Public Utilities for higher rates except under power of agreement, and also that in the event of legal action the Company would protect the Council. Letter filed with the agreements.

Loggie & Manley wrote on behalf of client re an account for nursing a patient, who had not paid account. Referred to Loggie & Manley for more investigation.

W. Prest advised Council that he would serve as a member of provisional board of new Municipal Hospital, as representative from the city of Wetaskiwin.

W. Zimcober, engineer, reported on the ditch on Curt Smith's farm, stating that there was sufficient fall in the ditch to remove the water, but that the ditch was not deep enough on the farm to drain the slough. Referred to City Solicitor.

The Canadian Westinghouse Co. wrote that they could not cancel invoice for repairing shaft of gas engine as it was not their fault. Referred to Supt. Watson for information and report.

The President of the Calgary Sanitarium advised Council that a Wetaskiwin patient had been admitted to that institution and City was liable for expenses. Referred to Solicitor for advice.

The application of Frank Fee for Old Age Pensions was approved.

The following accounts were passed for payment: General, \$113.75; water-works, \$10.05; electric, \$360.50; supplementary, \$141.45; fireman's salary for two months, \$45.00.

Commission System Mooted at Formation Citizens' Committee

A public meeting of citizens of Wetaskiwin was held in the Council Chamber on Friday evening last, when an organization to be known as the Citizens' Committee was formed. The purpose of this association is to sponsor any movement having for its object the betterment of conditions in Wetaskiwin. It was suggested that the Council and School Board confer from time to time with the Committee on major matters. Among the questions to be considered will likely be the method of assessment and the payment of taxes, the idea being expressed that considerable money could be saved annually if the taxes were paid quarterly instead of towards the end of the year as at present. Another matter which will be discussed is whether it would be advantageous for Wetaskiwin to be governed under a commission system, instead of by a Mayor and six Aldermen. The secretary was instructed to get information from cities in the west, respecting systems of assessment and collecting taxes, and these important matters will be further discussed at a subsequent meeting.

The election of officers resulted in the selection of J. S. Orr as President, R. M. Snyder, Secretary-treasurer, and R. W. Manley, W. Gibson and Dr. G. W. Smith as members of the executive. All persons owning property in Wetaskiwin are entitled to membership in the Association. The next meeting will be held on Monday evening, November 25th, in the Council Chamber, when the matter of selecting and endorsing candidates for the next municipal election will be considered.

Pincher Creek, Nov. 8.—This raters voted unanimously in favor of the Calgary Power bylaw on November 4. The company expects to be operating before the end of the year.

GRAVELLED ROADS TO POINTS EAST OF CAMROSE

Government surveyors are working east of Camrose on the survey for the new government highway. Information from a reliable source indicates that the new road will strike a point just east of the place where the C.P.R. crosses the G.N.R. tracks and will continue direct to the town of Killam. The surveyors are working in the territory from Killam to Bawit at the present time. It is understood that the grade will be made next year with surface graveling to follow in two years' time. This trail will, it may be supposed, eventually carry through to the Alberta-Saskatchewan border—Camrose Canadian.

Weddings

NIEMI-FLINKMAN
A quiet wedding was celebrated at the Lutheran parsonage, Nanton St. on Friday, Nov. 8th. The contracting parties were Mr. John Niemi, son of Isaac Niemi of Brightview, and Miss Martha Flinkman, daughter of Tim Flinkman, also of Brightview. The happy couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Reglin, the latter being the newly-married sister of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Niemi will reside on the groom's farm, west of Brightview.

SHANTZ-REIST

A lovely wedding was solemnized at the Manse, Wetaskiwin, on Thursday, November 7th, at 5:30 p.m., when Clara Reist, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Reist of Wetaskiwin, was united in marriage with Homer Shantz, second son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Shantz of Battle River district, Wetaskiwin.

The bride was attended by her sister Florence, and the groom supported by his friend Mr. John A. Richmond of Ponoka. The officiating minister was Rev. A. L. Elliott.

The bride was very charming in a gown of chiffon georgette in new teal shade, wearing a rope of pearls and carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses. The bridesmaid was becomingly dressed in peach georgette.

The happy young couple will visit Edmonton, and on their return will make their home on their farm in the Battle River district.

NELSON-BERGQUIST

The Manse, Wetaskiwin, was the scene of a quiet and beautiful wedding on Monday, November 11th, at 11 o'clock in the morning, when Henry Alfred Nelson, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson of Wetaskiwin, was united in the bonds of holy matrimony with Minnie Helen Bergquist, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Bergquist of Wapahwa, N. Dakota.

The bride was very lovely in a gown of navy crepe silk. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. L. Elliott and witnessed by Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Johnson.

This date marked also the thirtieth anniversary of the marriage of the groom's parents. This double event was duly celebrated in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson in the evening of the 11th inst., when the wedding banquet was served and many friends conveyed congratulations and good wishes to both Mr. and Mrs. Nelson, Junior and Senior.

BERG-RUTHERFORD

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Grumsky of Grande Prairie, on Tuesday, Nov. 5th, when Lena Berg, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Rutherford of Wembley, Alta., was united in wedlock to David E. Berg, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Berg of Wetaskiwin. Rev. C. C. McLaughlin, D.D., officiating. The happy couple left amid showers of rice and confetti for Edmonton and other points for a brief Grande Prairie, where they will reside.

POPULAR COUPLE CELEBRATE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

A very happy event took place on the afternoon of Thanksgiving Day, when about 40 of the neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson of the New Sweden district assembled at their home. The occasion was the thirtieth anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson, and a very enjoyable afternoon and evening were spent. During the afternoon, Rev. O. H. Miller gave an address appropriate to the occasion, and Mr. Nelson fittingly thanked his many friends for their many congratulations and good wishes received. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson were made the recipients of many beautiful presents, given by individuals, among them being several pieces of silver. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson have lived in the Wetaskiwin district for about 26 years and he is considered to be one of the most successful and prosperous farmers of the community. The Times joins with the many friends in extending its heartiest congratulations on this happy occasion.

The thousands of starlings that have spread over the eastern half of the U.S. are descendants of about 100 birds that were released in New York City about 1890.

Town Topics

Roy Ballhorn and Carl Kruetzfeldt are out moose hunting.

C. Nichols of Ponoka, spent the holiday with relatives in town.

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Professor Touche of Lacombe, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Condie on Sunday.

Ray H. Compton of Edmonton, spent the Thanksgiving holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Tanner have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. T. Fletcher of Wetaskiwin.—Edmonton Journal.

All the Wetaskiwin students attending the University of Alberta, spent the week-end and holiday at their homes here.

Quite a number of Wetaskiwinites were in Edmonton last week, attending the reception given to Premier W. L. McKenzie King.

Misses Clara and Anna Masling of Ponoka, were the guests of Miss Grace Stewart during the teachers' convention last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burkholder and daughter of Edmonton, were Thanksgiving Day guests at the home of the former's brother, J. E. Burkholder.

Mrs. D. A. Ward spent the holiday visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sweeney, at Nanton. Her son Arthur accompanied her and they made the trip by motor.

Mr. R. Archer of the government phones, had the misfortune to fall from a ladder and break the arch of one foot. He will be laid up for a month.

Frank Bullhorn purchased a very fine Sporthorn bull in Calgary last week, imported from Scotland, whose sire sold for \$8500 for export to Argentina.

Miss Tallman of Chengtu, China, will be the speaker at the W.M.S. Thanksgiving meeting in the United Church on Tuesday, November 19th, at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Finch had as their guests over the holiday, Mr. Milne and Mrs. Harvey of Calgary, Miss Harvey of the University and Mr. Hall of Ponoka.

Miss Kathleen McKinnon, Miss Francis Boyne and Miss Rita Hanson of Edmonton, spent Thanksgiving with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hanson.

A. Gale, who has been staying at the home of his daughter, in Ponoka, for some time, was brought home a few days ago. His friends regret to learn he is still quite poorly.

Miss Mina Knowlton of the Land Titles Office, Edmonton, and Miss Jean Knowlton of the University, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Knowlton.

Mrs. C. B. McMurdo and Mrs. Wise-man of Wetaskiwin were in town on Friday to attend the meeting of the Northern Alberta Women's Curling Association.—Edmonton Bulletin.

L. G. Kelley, who was in a hospital in Edmonton for several days receiving treatment to his eyes, returned home a few days ago. He expects to be much improved in a short time.

At the convocation of High School teachers held in Edmonton last week, R. V. McCullough of Wetaskiwin was honored by being elected as Chairman of the teachers' organization for the ensuing year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McDermid of Sangued, motored down and spent the week-end and holiday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wright. Mr. McDermid returned Monday evening, but Mrs. McDermid will remain in town for a few days.

Col. Eaton, representative of the Department at Ottawa, was in town last week, inspecting the fox ranch of Montgomery Brothers. He is an eminent authority on foxes and proclaimed the animals he inspected at the ranch were the best he had ever seen.

The dance under the auspices of Peace Hills Chapter I.O.O.F. in the Elks' Hall on Monday evening last was a very gratifying success, as a large crowd was present, and the treasury has been augmented to a considerable extent through the efforts of those having charge of the affair. The hall was nicely decorated for the occasion, and the music was furnished by Tommy Mayo's orchestra of Edmonton.

The total strength of the London police, including all ranks, is 19180.

ALBERTA TO SEND TORONTO EXHIBIT SAYS BROWNLEE

Alberta will again be represented at the Canadian national exhibition in Toronto next year, it is stated by Premier Brownlee, the government being strongly in favor of this form of publicity. The natural resources of the province will be featured in its exhibit, as usual.

The premier has been invited by H. W. Waters and R. H. Jenkinson, of the exhibition board, who recently visited the city, to be present at the big fair on Alberta day, which will be one of the series of days given up to the various provinces.

Obituary

MRS. JOHN F. PETERSON

On Monday last, the mother of the early settlers of the Wetaskiwin district passed away in the person of Augusta Dorothy, beloved wife of John F. Peterson, at the age of sixty-seven years and six months. The cause of the demise is given as apoplexy. The deceased had been an esteemed resident of the community for the past twenty-nine years and leaves a sorrowing husband and grown-up family as well as a very large circle of friends and acquaintances. The funeral takes place on Thursday of this week, service being conducted in the Swedish Baptist Church at 2 p.m. by Rev. Meyer. The interment will take place in the Wetaskiwin cemetery.

MRS. THELONIMO REHAUME

Another of the pioneer citizens of the Wetaskiwin district was called to her long home on Sunday, in the person of Thelonimo, relict of the late A. Rehaume, at the age of sixty-six years. Her husband predeceased her about two years ago. The late Mrs. Rehaume who has resided in the vicinity of Wetaskiwin for the past thirty years, was held in the highest respect by a very large circle of friends and acquaintances. She leaves to mourn her loss, a grown up family of sons and daughters. The funeral took place Wednesday forenoon, service being conducted in the Roman Catholic church, by Rev. Father Walravens. The interment took place in the R.C. cemetery. A large number of friends attended to pay their last tribute of respect.

WETASKIWIN MAN BURNED TO DEATH AT METISKOW

Czar, Alta., Nov. 12.—Clarence Johnson, manager of the National Elevator, Metiskow, was burned to death in the office of the elevator on Sunday morning about 10:30 o'clock. He was held in the highest respect by a very large circle of friends and acquaintances. The building was ablaze. Men rushed over and found the fire had control of the building and Johnson was lying on the bed apparently dead. They managed to cut a hole, and with a long pole pulled the charred body out of the flames and carried it over to the home elevator and left it on the floor. They returned to keep the flames from reaching the elevator. Fortunately the office was about 12 feet away and was sheathed with metal and the wind was in the opposite direction.

Mr. Johnson was about 26 years of age. His parents and two sisters live in Wetaskiwin. He is a brother to the late half century, the in previous periods. When a man or woman ceases to be a student, he or she ceases to be a teacher. One does not draw pure water from a stagnant pool. Mr. Shortliffe vividly compared the conditions of a quarter of a century ago, when a student studied diligently five nights a week, with the conditions as they exist today. He referred to a town in the province, where the "dents took part in weekly amateur nights at the theatre, were in a revue, frequently attended the movies, and were also permitted to attend the Chautauque on the eve of final examinations. This condition of affairs certainly had a bearing on the success of High School work. The automobile has taken the place of the stagecoach, the student failed, the parents blamed the teacher and the teacher blamed the parents. You cannot hurt a boy to give him work to do while studying. On occasions, young people should be

PROVINCIAL REVENUES EXCEED EXPENDITURES

For the year ending March 31 last, provincial finances reveal a surplus of \$1,317,871.28, according to the public accounts for the year 1928-1929, released last week by Hon. R. G. Reid, provincial treasurer and minister of public affairs.

The final result of provincial financing for the year, is a surplus of \$1,758,347.36 in excess of the original estimate, which was \$55,023.92.

This is the largest surplus in the history of the province and is the fourth in succession reported by the provincial treasurer.

The surplus is divided between general revenue, which accounts for \$1,578,823.09 and the Alberta Government Telephone for the remainder of \$239,524.29.

Incidentally this is the first complete year's statement under the new system of provincial financing which changed the end of the fiscal year from December 31 to March 31.

It is expected that next year's surplus will be even greater, as with the disposition of the provincially owned railways, heavy interest charges will be removed and payments on the railways will be included.

Use The Times Want Ad. columns.

Miss M. Henderson New President Teachers' Ass'n Wetaskiwin Inspectorate

Miss G. Christie Selected as Secretary—Large Attendance At Annual Convention—Presided Over by Miss F. Borden, B.A.—D. L. Shortliffe, Principal of Victoria High School, Edmonton, Principal Speaker at Banquet

About one hundred and twenty-five teachers of the Wetaskiwin inspectorate attended the annual convention in the Alexandra school on Thursday and Friday last, and the conference was pronounced to be one of the most successful ever held in the inspectorate. The sessions were presided over by Miss Florence Borden, B.A., who came from Camrose to preside. Addresses of welcome were given by Deputy Mayor H. C. Cooke, on behalf of the public school board, and Curt Smith, Chairman of the Sacred Heart School Board. Among the features of the Thursday program were observations of lessons and addresses on "The Classroom Dynamics" by Inspector John Scofield and by Mr. Hilton, representative from the Alberta Teachers' Alliance. Very interesting and instructive sessions were held by the Junior, Intermediate and senior sections, when many questions pertaining to these different departments were thoroughly discussed.

On Thursday evening, a very enjoyable banquet was held at the Driford Hotel, which was presided over by Inspector Scofield. After ample justice had been done to the excellent meal, Mrs. Condie and Miss Robinson gave a delightful violin and piano duet, and Mrs. A. Johnson gave a solo which was greatly appreciated. Mr. Gorman, chief inspector of schools, gave a brief address in which he stressed the influence exerted by the teacher in the life of the pupil, which is far greater than many suppose. Teachers should keep the idea before them that they are trying to assist the youth to adjust themselves to environment. Many young people have a capacity for good and usefulness and the future of the boys and girls. The effect of this work cannot be estimated. The business of teaching is to fit young people for life and to become good citizens. In order to do this the teacher should keep abreast of the times and study the changing conditions.

Mr. Hilton, of the Alberta Teachers' Alliance, also spoke briefly, pointing out the sole idea of the Alliance was to co-operate with the teachers and trustees, parents, and the Department of Education, to secure the best type of education for Alberta and to raise the status of teachers throughout Canada.

The principal address of the evening was given by Mr. D. L. Shortliffe, of the Victoria High School, Edmonton. He stated that there was great change in the world in the last half century, the in previous periods. When a man or woman ceases to be a student, he or she ceases to be a teacher. One does not draw pure water from a stagnant pool. Mr. Shortliffe vividly compared the conditions of a quarter of a century ago, when a student studied diligently five nights a week, with the conditions as they exist today. He referred to a town in the province, where the "dents took part in weekly amateur nights at the theatre, were in a revue, frequently attended the movies, and were also permitted to attend the Chautauque on the eve of final examinations. This condition of affairs certainly had a bearing on the success of High School work. The automobile has taken the place of the stagecoach, the student failed, the parents blamed the teacher and the teacher blamed the parents. You cannot hurt a boy to give him work to do while studying. On occasions, young people should be

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The election of officers resulted as follows:
Honorary President—John Scofield, Inspector of Schools.
President—Miss M. Henderson.
Vice-President—Mrs. B. A. Mann.
Secretary—Miss G. Christie.
Treasurer—Miss E. B. Wilson.

BIGGEST AIRPLANE IN WORLD, 150 FOOT WING SPREAD, PASSES TESTS

Dessau, Germany, Nov. 7.—The G-33 a giant new 2,200 hp. Junkers monoplane, believed to be the largest land plane yet constructed, completed its first trial flight successfully.

Its wings, which measure 150 feet from tip to tip, have a tapering shape that gives the ship an appearance of lightness, but is considered by the Junkers' engineers to be the strongest and steepest type yet achieved.

Memorial Services at the Angus Theatre Were Highly Impressive

Angus Theatre was packed to the doors on Sunday afternoon, the occasion being the Armistice and Thanksgiving service which was held under the auspices of the I.O.D.E. First Battalion North Alberta Regt. under command of Major Baker.

Paraded from the barracks to the service, and the Girl Guides and Boy Scouts attached in a body. Throughout the gathering were a very large number of returned men, who could easily be distinguished by the service medals they were wearing. Captain N. A. MacEachern, D.S.O., was chairman. The singing was led by a massed choir from the churches in the city, accompanied by the Wetaskiwin Orchestra, who also rendered several selections during the service. A double quartette, "How Long Will Thou Forget Me, O Lord," was rendered by Mesdames, Pethbridge, Boyer, A. Johnson and W. Groves, and Messrs. Buchanan, Thompson, Payne and

MacEachern. Rev. A. L. Elliott led in prayer, Rev. J. H. Molloy read the lesson and the Benediction was pronounced by Rev. P. C. Wade.

An excellent and inspiring address was given by Rev. Captain Dix, who was padre during the World War. He referred to the lessons taught by the army in the Great War, among them being self sacrifice and the working in unison of the entire army for one great cause. A message of the deathless army was that "A greater sacrifice hath no man than that that a man lay down his life for his friend." The Church stands for moral and spiritual principles and the last words will not be material but spiritual. To the great call of God asking for moral and spiritual leadership, there is no demobilization, and no discharge. Pay is deferred, however, and we will get our reward in time to come if we have stood true to principles in building up the life of this young nation.

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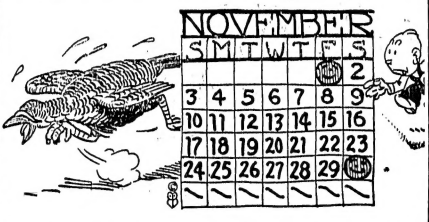
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FIRE INSURANCE RATES
ARE REVISED

Fire insurance rates are based on
loss cost—the individual loss cost of
the various classes of property insured
each class bearing its proportion
of the fire loss.

Exhaustive statistics recently com-
piled by the Western Canada Insur-
ance Underwriters' Association in pur-
sue of their policy of naming
equitable rates have shown some classes
entitled to a reduction, others
where no change was warranted, and
again others where losses have been
heavy and where an increase in rate
is necessary.

The classes showing noticeably low
losses are dwellings, fire resistive
apartment blocks and apartment
blocks of other construction, and
these classes have been favored with
a reduction of 25, 20 and 10 per cent
respectively, from the present rates.

The dwelling class is the largest
written by the insurance companies
and what this decrease in rate means
can be realized by the fact that
through it the people of Western Canada
save approximately \$1,000,000.00.

On the other hand, retail and whole-
sale stocks and contents of mercan-
tile buildings have shown a consis-
tently bad loss record, and in order
that they may bear their proper bur-
den of the loss cost, rates on these
classes have been increased 25%.

However, some stocks and contents
have shown good results, and the in-
crease is not general, but some twenty-
eight classes are excluded from it.

While mercantile and wholesale
stocks represent a large volume of
the companies business, the increase
in premium accomplished by the new
rates, amounting to approximately
\$250,000.00, will by means offset the
reduction in dwelling premiums.

This equitable distribution of loss
cost is made possible by the present
universal method of classifying the in-
dividual company's business, so that
more accurate and detailed informa-
tion is available than in the past.

This new system has been in effect
some five years, the length of time
necessary for an insurance average,
and the Underwriters' Association has
taken immediate advantage of it for
rating purposes.

Insurance rates are made so as to
be equitable and, fair to every class of
business, and so that no class produc-
ing a small amount of loss shall be ex-
pected to bear the losses occurring in
other classes not so fortunate.

The reductions and increases are
made on a percentage basis of the pre-
sent rates, thereby escaping the
great expense of revising and issuing
new rates on the affected classes, and
this method allows for immediate rec-
ognition of a favorable loss experience
in any particular class.

As loss cost is the basis of insur-
ance rating, much can be done by the
individual to decrease insurance rates
by the prevention of fires, with a re-
sultant drop in losses.

As an example of the fact that low
losses mean low rates, Great Britain's
fire loss is about one-fifth of Canada's
and her insurance rates are also one-
fifth of Canada's.

AIR AND VENTILATION

It has long been known that air can
be polluted in such a manner as to
be injurious. For many years, it was
thought that this pollution was due to
an excess of carbonic acid gas, but

It is now understood that, in an or-
dinary occupied room, the amount of
this gas is not harmful, nor is there
a sufficient reduction of oxygen
brought about to account for the ef-
fects of bad air.

In the early years of this century,
it was proven by experiments that the
symptoms caused by living in so-
called bad or vitiated air are due to
the temperature of the air, its mois-
ture and its stillness. In other words,
conditions of the air which do not
favor the loss of heat from the body
are the conditions which cause the ill-
effects of bad air. The body is con-
stantly generating heat and if the
person is to be comfortable and fit,
the surplus heat must be got rid of.

The skin is the means for getting rid
of excessive body heat. When the
body is surrounded by hot, humid
still air, it is difficult or impossible
for the skin to eliminate as it should,
and, as a result, there is discomfort,
and, later, if the condition persists,
there will be headache, shortness of
breath, and an increased pulse rate
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would consider it rather bad form,
"don't cher know," to be reminded of
such little indiscretions.

Well, sir, I daresay I am exceeding
the space limit as I am afraid I have
often done before in your columns.
But I have always had a penchant for
politics ever since I was a schoolboy
and pulled off one star act which I
have never regretted to this day.

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In the days when Lord Northcliffe
was plain Alfred Harmsworth he put
up for election in Portsmouth, Hants,
England, my home town. Now my
father was in the Navy and at sea and
was a strong Liberal-Unionist or Con-
servative,—the same thing,—so Dad
never heard about this. My mother
was a Radical Liberal and I favored
mother's side. Coming home from my
school one noon I caught up to Harms-
worth and his lady seated in a car-
riage drawn by a pair of horses as
was the style before Henry Ford or
the Chev. had been dreamt of. He had
stopped to speak to some voters and
was canvassing the town. As soon as
he got started I ran and I hooked on
behind and yelled "Kick him out,"
right in his future Lordship's ears,
and I hung there yelling till he motion-
ed the driver to stop, and as I did not
want any "whip behind" I beat it out
to the sidewalk still yelling "Kick him
out." Seeing the situation Alfred
Harmsworth told the driver to keep
going and they drove quickly on
again. Well, I am glad to say that
Portsmouth did kick him out. Even
after Alfred had bought up one of the
Portsmouth newspapers to try and
swing the town over to his side. But
it didn't work.

That was the one outstanding defeat
in Northcliffe's career and influenced
him into staying with Journalism in-
stead of active political work in Par-
liament as a member. But he sure was
sore with Portsmouth. He sold the
paper again that he had just bought
and said he would never do another
thing for Portsmouth again all his
life. We should worry, I'm sure. Per-
haps there was more than one loyal
"Portsmouthian" who was glad to see
the founder of the Northcliffe octopus
get out of town and stay out.

Yours truly,
FRED H. NICHOLS.
Winfield, November 6th, 1929.

THAT DRY WELL

The human body can live without
food for six or seven days if there is
plenty of water to drink, but it will
not live three days if deprived of food
and water. Water is essential to the
proper growth of the body and to its
proper functioning. Not just water,
but pure water, is a necessity.

We have finished one of the driest
seasons for many years, sloughs and
creeks are dry all over the province.
Wells are either very low or quite dry.
Under those conditions water has to
be used from where it can be found, ir-
respective of whether it is known to be
pure or not. Already several cases of
typhoid fever have been admitted to
city hospitals from country points.
Typhoid is a water born disease.

Again when moisture in any quan-
tity does come, the well will fill and
much of the water will be surface better
off I am.

A BOY'S COMPO

Girls are the only
own way every-
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are all like cats.

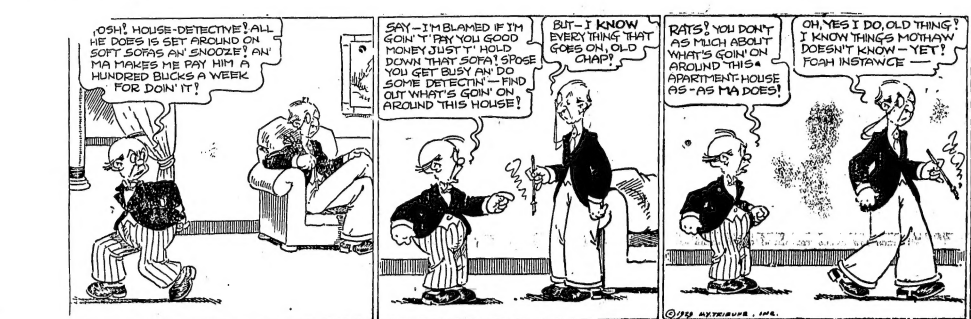
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I think he hurt her

and run, and there
all over both of her
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says the less I know
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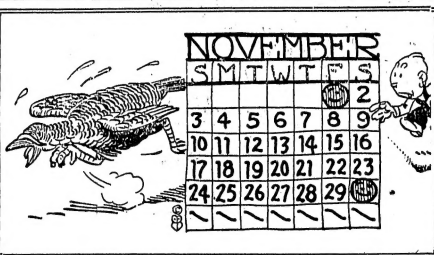
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FIRE INSURANCE RATES
ARE REVISED

Fire insurance rates are based on
loss cost—the individual loss cost of
the various classes of property insured
each class bearing its proportion of
the fire loss.

Exhaustive statistics recently com-
piled by the Western Canada Insur-
ance Underwriters' Association in fur-
therance of their policy of making
equitable rates have shown some classes
entitled to a reduction, others where
no change was warranted, and again
others where losses have been heavy
and where an increase in rate is
necessary.

The classes showing noticeably low
losses are dwellings, fire resistive
apartment blocks and apartment
blocks of other construction, and these
classes have been favored with a
reduction of 25, 20 and 10 per cent
respectively, from the present rates.
The dwelling class is the largest
written by the insurance companies
and what this decrease in rate means
can be realized by the fact that through
it the people of Western Canada
save approximately \$1,000,000.00.
On the other hand, retail and whole-
sale stocks and contents of mercan-
tile buildings have shown a consis-
tently bad loss record, and in order
that they may bear their proper bur-
den of the loss cost, rates on these
classes have been increased 25%.

However, some stocks and contents
have shown good results, and the in-
crease is not general, but some twenty-
eight classes are excluded from it.

While mercantile and wholesale
stocks represent a large volume of
the companies business, the increase
in premium accomplished by the new
rates, amounting to approximately
\$250,000.00, will by means of the
reduction in dwelling premiums.

This equitable distribution of loss
cost is made possible by the present
universal method of classifying the in-
dividual company's business, so that
more accurate and detailed informa-
tion is available than in the past.

This new system has been in effect
some five years, the length of time
necessary for an insurance average,
and the Underwriters' Association has
taken immediate advantage of it for
rating purposes.

Insurance rates are made so as to
be equitable and fair to every class of
business, and so that no class produc-
ing a small amount of loss shall be ex-
pected to bear the losses occurring in
other classes not so fortunate.

The reductions and increases are
made on a percentage basis of the
present rates, thereby escaping the
great expense of revising and issuing
new rates on the affected classes, and
this method allows for immediate re-
cognition of favorable loss experi-
ence in any particular class.

As loss cost is the basis of insur-
ance rating, much can be done by the
individual to decrease insurance rates
by the prevention of fires, with a re-
sultant drop in losses.

As an example of the fact that low
losses mean low rates, Great Britain's
fire loss is about one-fifth of Canada's
and her insurance rates are also one-
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AIR AND VENTILATION

It has long been known that air can
be polluted in such a manner as to
be injurious. For many years, it was
thought that this pollution was due
to an excess of carbonic acid gas, but

It is now understood that, in an ordi-
nary occupied room, the amount of
this gas is not harmful, nor is there
a sufficient reduction of oxygen
brought about to account for the ef-
fects of bad air.

In the early years of this century,
it was proven by experiments that the
symptoms caused by ill-health in so-
called bad or vitiated air are due to
the temperature of the air, its moisture
and its stillness. In other words,
conditions of the air which do not
favor the loss of heat from the body
are the conditions which cause the ill-
effects of bad air. The body is constan-
tly generating heat and if the person
is to be comfortable and fit, the sur-
plus heat must be got rid of. The skin
is the means for getting rid of ex-
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"RATS! YOU DON'T
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AROUND THIS
APARTMENT HOUSE
AS—AS MA DOES!"

"OH, YES I DO, OLD THING!
I KNOW THINGS MO'AW
DOESN'T KNOW—YET!
FOAH INSTANCE—"

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right way of the hair they'll purr and
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the wrong way or step on their tails
they'll claw you. So long as you like
a girl have her own way she's nice
and sweet, but just cross her and
she'll spit at you worse nor a cat.
Girls is also like mules. If a girl don't
want to believe anything you can't
make her. If she knows it's so she
won't say so. Brother George says he
doesn't like big girls but he does like
little ones, and when I saw him kiss-
ing Jennie Jones last Sunday, and told
him of what he'd said, he said he was
a biting her 'cause he didn't like her.
I think he hurt her, for she hollered
and run, and there was a big red spot
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By Wellington

Local Talent in New York Comedy Hit on Nov. 27th

One of the greatest theatrical successes ever presented in New York City will hold the boards at the Angus Theatre on Wednesday evening, Nov. 27 (curtain sharp at 8), with a cast of fourteen local amateur thespians in action. "Turn to the Right," the vehicle of the occasion, is a comedy of the convulsive type, though not definitely in the farce comedy category, written by Winchell Smith and originally staged on Broadway by John L. Golden, both of whom are most outstanding figures in the theatrical world, of international reputation.

In addition to the opening prologue, there are three acts—with a perfect riot of comedy running throughout. The opening scene is in a New York pawn shop; then the scene shifts to a farm home, with both interior and exterior settings. The characters include a couple of Polish Jews, a race track habitué and a couple of comical light-fingered gentry, recent residents of Sing Sing, a crusty old store-keeper, an audacious country boy, a well-groomed "no account" who is eventually gathered in by a metropolitan braggart, a devoted though somewhat hapless mother, and a quartette of winsome maidens who eventually "fall" for Cupid's arrow.

"Turn to the Right" originally enjoyed a long run at the Gaiety Theatre in New York, one of Broadway's most popular play houses, and New York companies on tour of the big cities of the continent were accorded great receptions. It is a "big town" production, a statement vouchsafed by the fact that a royalty fee of \$50 is payable to the publishers for the privilege of staging it for one night in Wetaskiwin, special arrangements having been made with Samuel French, of New York, N.Y., and London, England.

Great expense has been incurred by Wetaskiwin Lodge No. 1659, Loyal Order of Moose, in securing permits and in preliminary preparation. Special scenery has been painted and stage sets built for various scenes, one of which depicts an auto equipped with head and rear lights climbing the hillside preliminary to other mechanical effects which will be decidedly novel. The production is being directed by B. W. Bellamy, who played "You're a Cuckoo," and "Her Step-Husband," which were so loudly acclaimed by packed houses here in the past, and while there will be several new-comers in the cast of "Turn to the Right" it is claimed that some real "surprise" talent will be sprung on the bumper crowd which will doubtless greet our local amateurs.

Reserved seat tickets can be secured at the Northern Drug Co.

HEROES OF MANY WARS AT PRINCE OF WALES' DINNER

London, Nov. 12.—It is not our national custom to invite men to dinner to tell them how brave they are. This observation from the royal chairman

raised one of the earliest laughs at the much-anticipated dinner to the heroes of the Victoria Cross over which the Prince of Wales presided Saturday night.

The function took place in the august precincts of the House of Lords, and there was a muster of just over 300 holders of what His Royal Highness described as "the most democratic and at the same time the most exclusive order of chivalry."

Amongst those soberly clad and unassuming looking men, though, were not a few who carried great scars on their faces, who had a halting gait or whose eyes were sightless. There were one or two also who halted in their walk from infirmities which were missing of the years bring. Lieut.-Col. J. H. Reynolds for example, now 86, and Private John Williams, only four years younger, both survivors of the epic incident of Rorke's Drift of exactly 50 years ago. At the other end of this file of half a century of valor was the smiling dark-bearded Indian, Subadar Singh Sahar, who won the cross in India for rare three years after the Great War was over. There was also the youngest V.C., Sergeant Thomas Ricketts of Newfoundland, 28, years old.

KIWANIS CLUB CELEBRATES ARMISTICE DAY

The weekly luncheon of the Wetaskiwin Kiwanis Club was of particular interest when Rev. Bob Pearson made reference to the signing of the Armistice. Mr. Pearson took as his subject "What Happened Over There," and as he was in Paris at the time, referred especially to what had taken place in that city. He also referred to the great need of a distinctive Canadian flag, as the flag now in general use is for maritime purposes. This is especially so as Canada has taken on the status of nationhood and has taken her place in the League of Nations. Australia and New Zealand, although nearly pure British, each have their distinctive flag. At the time of the Olympic games, it is the custom of the nations to hoist the national flag when their representative wins an event. When Percy Williams won two events, the Canadians were in a quandary and humiliated as there was no Canadian flag to hoist in honor of their two wins.

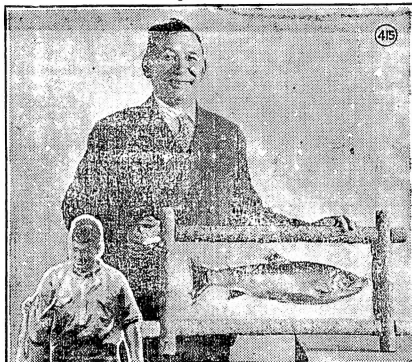
Mr. Pearson concluded his very thoughtful and eloquent address by paying a very high tribute to the Canadians who gave up their lives in the great cause.

Dr. A. D. Miller of St. Stephen's College, Edmonton, was also present and spoke briefly.

The Georgia Singers, who put on a concert in Angus Theatre Tuesday evening, rendered a number of musical selections.

A large number of ex-servicemen of the city and district were guests of the club on this occasion.

Wins Much-Prized Trophy



trophies for the past season at the camps. Outstanding among these is W. H. Graf, of New York, who tied with Frank S. Slesson, of Chicago, for the French River trophy, each with a 30-lb. muskellunge. Winner's name and weight of catch are inscribed on the permanent trophy, the latter being a finely mounted specimen of the fish which is the subject of the competition. Lay-out shows Paul Cameron, otherwise known as Chief Bimbatow Wahwahkaiche (Running Deer) Head guide of the Nipigon Camp exhibiting the mounted speckled trout which is the subject of the contest there; and also W. H. Graf, winner of the muskellunge trophy at French River this year; with his 30-lb. capture.

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JUNIOR CHOIR CONCERT FIRST UNITED CHURCH

The Junior choir of the First United Church, Wetaskiwin, rendered a very beautiful cantata entitled "The Golden Whistle" on Friday, November 8th. The church was fairly well filled and greatly enjoyed the entire program. The casts of characters was:

Boffo—Margaret Pinch.
The Little Old Woman — Ethel Sharlow.

Robin—Jean George.
Fairies Queen—Nellie Bldinger.
White Rabbit—Thelma Walker.

Cardinal Birds—Phyllis Hardy, Jean McMurdo.

Elves—Gladys Holtby, Violet Bldinger, Emily Beamish.

Roses—Lulu Holtby, Margaret Vars, Nellie Bldinger, Mary Beamish, Winifred Beamish, Pearl Duttman, Doris Lake, Helen Buchanan.

Butterflies—Meryl Lake, Dorothy Duttman, Sylvia Bldinger.

All the characters took their parts in excellent form. The choral singing as well as the solo parts were rendered beautifully. The costumes were made with great care and represented well the land fairies.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to Mrs. Buchanan for her skill and care and labor in training the choir.

Other numbers on the program were a humorous reading by Miss Evelyn Christie which was vigorously enjoyed, and a quartette by Mrs. Pethybridge, Mrs. Tony Johnson, and Messrs J. S. Thompson and Mr. N. A. MacEachern.

CONFERENCE TO CONSIDER INDIGENTS AND UNPAID HOSPITAL ACCOUNTS

(Research Bulletin)

Mr. H. Rollas, secretary of the Alberta Municipal Association, Viking, has written to the Secretary of the Union, Mr. J. D. Saunders, intimating that on Monday, November 18th, a conference will be held in the Parliament Buildings at 10 o'clock a.m., between officials of the Provincial Government and representatives from the Alberta Association of Municipal Districts, the Alberta Hospitals Association, and the Alberta Municipal Hospitals Association, for the purpose of endeavoring to find some solution of the unpaid hospital account question, particularly in so far as it concerns indigents.

Twenty-five per cent is the average of hospital accounts that remain uncollected and it is found in general practice that unless arrangements are made at the time with the parties owing these accounts for the future payment, time passes, the parties drift and the accounts are never paid. Many cases have to be classed as indigents upon admission to a hospital and the placing of the responsibility for these indigents is a problem. Some are transients for which no specific Municipality or district is responsible and for these, at least, the Province should be asked to provide for.

It has been said the grant of 50 cents per hospital day made by the Provincial Government is to cover such cases, but the grant is really used to assist hospitals in making a reasonable charge for ordinary cases, as without that grant, hospitals would not be able to meet their expenses without increasing the burden on the sick.

Any conference that can be held to further the interests of the hospital work in the Province should meet with hearty support.

In addition to the grant of 50 cents per hospital day all the hospitals in British Columbia receive a large slice of the honoraria from the Provincial Government, which enables them to install the latest equipment for the relief of the sufferer.

CANADIAN MINISTER OF FINANCE DIED MONDAY

Toronto, Nov. 12.—Death came at 4:05 p.m. yesterday to Hon. James Alexander Robb, Canada's minister of finance. Mr. Robb had been ill for more than two weeks with lobar pneumonia, but was thought to be recovering.

Mr. Robb succumbed to a stroke which seized him early in the afternoon.

The late Mr. Robb was born Aug. 10, 1859, at Huntington on the banks of the Trout river, Quebec. He was the son of Alexander Robb and Jenny Smith, both Scotch. He was elected to the house of Commons in 1905, 1911 and 1917 and re-elected in 1921, 1925 and 1928. He was elected chief opposition whip at the opening of the first session of the 13th Parliament, March, 1917. Upon the formation of the ministry of Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Dec. 1921, he was sworn of the privy council and appointed minister of trade and commerce. Assuming office on Aug. 18, 1923, he was appointed minister of immigration and colonization, relinquishing his former portfolio.

During the prolonged illness of Right Hon. W. S. Fielding which developed during the winter and spring of 1923, he became acting minister of finance and on Sept. 5, 1925, was appointed minister of finance, the position which he held at his death.

The body left Toronto last evening by special car, arrangements for this having been made by Hon. C. A. Dunning, minister of railways. They will reach Valleyfield this morning.

Funeral services will be held from the United church, Valleyfield, Que., Wednesday afternoon.

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LLOYDMINSTER MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL IS UNIQUE

(By Edna Kells)

Unique in two senses is the Lloydminster Municipal Hospital. It serves the people of two provinces, and those who are treated there incur no obligations other than their doctor's fee and any prescriptions which may have to be filled at a town drugstore. When the hospital was built it was felt the part of wisdom to provide for the maintenance entirely by taxation, in view of the unusual condition obtaining. Lloydminster is situated on the boundary between Alberta and Saskatchewan, on the Canadian National Railway, and the hospital is operated under the border Areas Act. The plan of financing has worked out satisfactorily, the only difficulty the board has experienced arising from inadequate hospital facilities.

The hospital is a brick building with accommodation for 22 beds according to government regulations, and a frame annex with ten bed accommodation. An average of 48 patients per day were cared for in this 32 bed hospital during 1928. Fifty-three cases were looked after in the month of June, 1929. Of these 42 were patients and 11 babies. Twenty-six babies were born there in May and 165 in the first ten months of the year. Mortality rate is low.

For more than two years now, an agitation to build a new hospital has been afoot. The idea of the Municipal hospital board was to ask for \$100,000 to be raised over the whole district, \$54,545.45 from Alberta, and \$45,454.55 from Saskatchewan. This would build a hospital with 60 to 65 beds and leave the present hospital to be used as a nurses' home. The governments of the two provinces agreed to this apportionment, but the municipal council on the Saskatchewan side disagreed as to the apportionment among themselves and the town of Lloydminster. Hence the delay in building. New steps are being taken to bring the situation to a climax, and the outlook is hopeful.

The Lloydminster hospital board hopes eventually to get a good, modern hospital. The people are also looking forward to the happy day when they will no longer have to take long journeys for surgical treatment which could be given nearer home were proper facilities available. People living within a radius of 35 to 40 miles will be benefited as they have not been, when the new hospital is built. The old hospital served a good purpose in spite of its limitations, providing care for patients coming long distances through good weather and bad. Even the people of Lea Park, 42 miles

distance, have fitted their sleighs with stoves and brought their sick to the hospital in the dead of winter, but this entailed a hardship and they are already asking for relief in the form of a subsidiary hospital.

While hospital facilities are limited, the Lloydminster hospital has one feature of which it is very proud. This is a tiny park where patients may exercise and get the air. Little walks have been made through this grove, flower beds laid out in open places, and a bridge thrown across a wide, dry ditch, once a sewer. This has been a factor in popularizing the hospital, as patients enjoying its freedom get away from the feeling that the hospital is akin to a prison house.

EXTEND ALBERTA ROADS 400 MILES

Edmonton, Nov. 6. — Nearly 400 miles of Alberta highways have been under construction this season and are now more than 95 per cent completed. Work is still proceeding on some of the gravelling contracts but will be fully done before winter sets in, unless it comes with a rush.

Hon. O. L. McPherson, minister of public works, in summarizing the roadworks programme of 1929, says that the construction season has been particularly successful, the long periods of dry weather having proved, in this respect, an undisputed blessing. It has also been a good season in the way of new operating methods and experimenting work.

The mileage of new work put through is made up of 143 miles of earth grade, 207 miles of first-course gravelling, and 38 miles of second-course gravelling. It makes a total of 1,385 miles of standard earth road on the main highways system of the province, of which 832 miles have been gravelled to date. Another year's work will easily run Alberta's gravel roads up to the thousand-mile mark.

The heaviest grade construction of the season was done on 44 miles of new location between Wainwright and Sola, west of Edmonton, and next on the list in length and earth displacement was 35 miles on the Lacombe-Nevis section.

RE-ELECTED BENCHER

Mr. W. J. Loggie, K.C., Wetaskiwin, was re-elected Bencher of the Law Society of Alberta for another term of two years, at the election on Monday last week. There were 14 ballots cast, and thirteen benchers were elected from twenty-five candidates.

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NEW BRANCH LINE PROGRAM IN NORTHERN ALBERTA AREAS OUTLINED BY RAILWAY HEADS

Montreal, Nov. 2.—Announcement was made yesterday jointly by Sir Henry Thornton and E. W. Beatty of the branch line program to be commenced in 1930 by the Northern Alberta railways. The presidents of the two transcontinental systems, which jointly own the Alberta railways, point out that under the agreement for acquisition, the purchasers undertook to build within five years, fifty miles of branch lines, in addition to the branches under construction by the government of Alberta at the time the purchase was made.

To meet the traffic needs of the district, and in fulfillment of statements previously made, the directors of the Northern Alberta Railways have therefore decided to recommend to the government and to the directors of the Canadian Pacific, the commencement in 1930 of a line from Hythe to Rolla, a distance of 50 miles, and from Fairview westerly, a distance of 15 miles.

In addition the Northern Alberta railways will, during the coming year

undertake to investigate the traffic possibilities of an extension west from Spirit River, and from a point at or near Grimshaw to serve the Battle River district in which considerable settlement has taken place.

The program announced is of considerable magnitude and confirms the statement already issued that in the opinion of the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific companies, the most important and immediate work in the development of the Peace River area is the construction of branch line mileage.

PREMIER KING ADDRESSES LARGE MEETING IN EDMONTON

Edmonton, Nov. 7.—An outlet from Peace River to the Pacific ocean must be the greatest object for all concerned, Prime Minister Mackenzie King declared before a great meeting here last night. He had urged the two railways to hurry their survey so that the best route could be ascertained.

The prime minister outlined the situation with respect to the relation of the natural resources to the province of Alberta. He thought the negotiations would be soon successfully completed.

The government would deal with any situation which might develop as a result of changes in the United States tariff, in a manner that would be in the best interests of this country, having all classes of the population in mind.

The eyes of the foreign lands were on Canada, Col. Ralston asserted, and the federal government must consider the greatest object lesson the world had ever seen in co-operative selling. Any producers who could tell the world when they were going to sell their product, where they were going to sell it and for how much, were not in great danger of economic dependency, which Mr. Bennett had described as a menace to this country.

Hon. Charles Stewart, minister of interior, said Mr. King was without doubt the best loved and most trusted man in Canada today. During last month 477 entries were made at the Land Office at Peace River. These were made by fathers of families who as a result of legislation passed by the Dominion government were given an opportunity of making a new start. They had been in sections of the province where they had suffered from poor crops, and had been enabled to move into the Peace River section, take up land for themselves and their sons, and thereby keep their families together.

Mr. Stewart outlined the development of wireless in the north country. The prime minister has been spreading the gospel of civic improvement during his trip in the West. In Prince Albert he urged cooperation in the development of that city with the aim of making it more beneficial. Last night he spoke of the improvements he noticed in Edmonton since his last visit and praised the city's plans of a large civic centre.

"I am taking a great interest in civic improvement," Mr. King said. He longed to see Canadian cities grow in beauty and told of the efforts of his government in the beautification of Ottawa, to make it a capital worthy of this great Dominion.

"We have had surprises for the past five years," said Mr. King, dealing with the finances of the Dominion. "At the same time we have reduced the taxes. I wonder do the people of Canada realize to the great extent we have lessened the burdens of taxation."

He reviewed the reductions in income tax rates, and tariff schedules. "The sales tax was reduced last year to two per cent and I think I can safely say it will be reduced next year to one per cent or even more than that. All these reductions have been made while we were reducing the public debt."

Turning to the railway situation, Mr. King outlined conditions when the present government took office and the railway situation as it was today. He described the action taken as a

result of the report of the commission on Maritime rights, and the fight in parliament by which the government was successful in restoring the Crow's Nest Pass rates, thereby assisting the West.

"Some years ago I made the statement that the Peace River development would be the spearhead of our policy," Mr. King proceeded. Some papers had claimed this had been a promise to federal the Peace River as an outlet to the Pacific ocean. He stated that if reports of that speech were referring to the immigration policy of the government, not in respect to railways. This had largely been fulfilled.

The outlet from the Peace River to the Pacific Ocean, Mr. King believed must come, and the sooner the better for all concerned. However, it was very essential that the railways make perfectly sure which was the best route to be taken.

When the best route from the Peace River had been decided upon, Mr. King said, he hoped that, as in the case of the Northern Alberta railways, the two railways would come together in such a way as to enable both to have the advantage of any work done in the future.

In the meantime, Mr. King continued, most pressing need was for the speedy construction of the Northern Alberta railway branch lines, and a program of these was to be rushed forward.

The prime minister outlined the steps taken towards reaching an agreement for the return to the West, on the basis of their natural resources. On the basis of the report of the Commission which investigated the return of the resources to Manitoba, the federal government was now ready to offer Alberta her natural resources as well as the subsidy which had been originally provided in lieu of her resources. In addition his government was prepared to agree to increasing this subsidy as the population of the province increased.

The policy of the Government in immigration matters, Mr. King said, had been vindicated by the committee of Parliament.

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DISTRICT TOWN PLANNING MEET

Red Deer, Nov. 7.—Beautification of Alberta, both in its urban and rural aspects, received intensive and constructive study at Red Deer on Wednesday, when twenty town planning enthusiasts met in the first district town planning conference, to be held in the province.

Representatives of the town planning commissions of Wetaskiwin, Lacombe, Stettler and Red Deer, of the municipalities of Crow and Lorne, of the villages of Bentley and Sylvan Lake, and of the Red Deer Horticulture Society, spent a whole afternoon with Horace L. Seymour, provincial town planning commissioner. G. J. Hunter of the Red Deer commission presided.

Mr. Seymour outlined what had already been done under the Town Planning Act, regarding preliminary arrangements for provision of park spaces, the organization to date of fifteen local commissions, and showed how, aided by government grants, horticultural societies might help in the work of beautification. His draft of a proposed act governing horticultural societies was after discussion and slight amendment

warmly commended by the conference.

Mr. Seymour outlined a scheme for a parkway connecting Lacombe, Gull Lake, Bentley, Sylvan Lake and Red Deer. The delegates from these places were very much interested in the proposal and a later meeting will be held on the ground, with representatives of the government and the municipal districts of Crow and Lorne.

Sanitation and sanitary equipment were discussed at some length and a programme of educational effort on this subject urged upon the government.

CANADIAN BOY WINS WORLD ORATORICAL CONTEST

Washington, DC.—"Canadian Youth Awarded World's Oratorical Laurels." So runs the Washington Star's announcement of Roche Pinard's victory when, Saturday night, Canada's representative was chosen world champion of the high school orator at the final international contest here. In the contest were the national champion of the United States, England, Denmark, Cuba, Peru, France, Mexico, Germany and Canada. The winners were the last three, Canada first, Germany second, Mexico third.

Six distinguished men acted as judges. They were: Dr. Jan Herman Van Royen, minister to the United States from the Netherlands; Dr. Henry Wilson, head of the Romance language department of the University of Virginia; Dr. Jules Bois, member of the faculty of L'Ecole de Psychologie, Paris; Dr. Paul G. Gleis, head of the department of German, Catholic University, Washington; Dr. Adam Beving, Danish scholar and senior entomologist of the United States bureau of entomology and Commander J. B. de Marbois, professor of languages at Upper Canada College, Toronto.

To these men, each a student of the five languages that were used by the speakers, was given the exceedingly difficult task of judging the efforts of the nine championship contestants.

Roche Pinard, winner of the Quebec contest award and later the Dominion championship, was accorded the victory by the judges' first ballot. Constitution Hall, Washington's newest auditorium, was far from large enough to seat all who sought admittance. This annual international oratory contest has become one of the striking events of the year in the American capital. Ambassadors and minister, members of the staffs of the embassies, eminent Americans in the fields of diplomacy, education, business and science, were in the gathering. Hidden in the huge throng were a few Canadians who got the thrill of their lives when John Hays Hammond, internationally known engineer, named Roche Pinard, of Canada, victor over all.

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(By Edna Kells)

Sunshine floods the rooms of the Provincial Training School at Red Deer, creeping into every nook and corner as if anxious to lighten the way for those unfortunate ones, 155 in number, whose lives are not as others' lives.

They are a happy lot, in spite of handicaps, for there they enjoy equal status, which is not possible in their own homes. Sometimes they go to spend a holiday with their families,

but they are always glad to get back to the school. Last summer a camp was established at Sylvan Lake, and the boarders were taken for an outing which they will make tomorrow. Dr. W. J. McAllister, the medical superintendent, was anxious that they should have this experience. It means a great deal to them to have an opportunity to get the mental complex of agreeable experiences, he says. It gives them food for thought and helps to make them satisfied. And so he arranges little outings from time to time, for those who are able to go under supervision, from the school. It may be a hike, or a visit to the fair; attendance at church in town, or a moving picture show; or perhaps they are taken to Chateauqua. No matter where, they enjoy the treat and return home more contented.

But all is not play at the school. Parents send their children realizing that there, if anywhere, they can have training that will make them useful in later years—training they cannot get in public school where they are in competition with others of normal mentality. Thirty per cent of the children are capable of being trained, and that which is given them not only tends to develop their mentality but to overcome awkwardness of movement. Sense and vocational training, regular hours, proper food, exercises and recreation, all play their part in this good work.

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The building is carefully planned with a view to giving the best service conditions possible. A new wing under construction, will provide better school rooms for sense and vocational training, and additional dormitory space. A dormitory being built outside for the big boys will take them out of the main building and give an opportunity for the admission of others of more tender years.

It is even a few friends of The Times who only remember us from week to week in a little way, it will help amazingly to make this paper much sweeter and therefore that much better from the real test of a paper, the subscriber's standpoint.

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MILLET LOCAL NEWS

Skating parties are popular with the young people now.

Are we going to have a curling rink in the village this winter?

Mr. A. P. Mitchell has nine auction sales billed for this month.

Mr. R. P. Koop was seen in the village recently from West Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dowdell were visitors in Edmonton on Thursday.

Mitchell's Agencies report a strong demand for farm lands in this district.

Mrs. Thompson of Edmonton, is a guest of Mrs. Macdonald at the parsonage.

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WEISENFORD W.I.

The regular monthly meeting of the Weisenford W.I. was held at Mrs. Kirk's, Nov. 7th, with ten members present.

After the regular business discussion and reading of correspondence, final arrangements were made for the annual Thanksgiving supper to be held in Telford school on November 11th.

The wool quilt donated by four members was won by Mrs. Irene Nelson of Millet, and the talent money amounting to \$20.00 was given to the W.I. funds.

Several parcels of fruit have been sent to sick friends in the community and were duly acknowledged at the meeting.

Mrs. Atkinson read a paper on "The Origin of Thanksgiving," and "The Meaning of Armistice Day," which is a holiday in Canada.

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Miss Smith of Calgary, spent Sunday with Mrs. C. A. Kent.

Miss Madge and Reuben Plant spent Thanksgiving in the village.

Tony Stocks of Edmonton, was seen in the village over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stewart entertained friends over the week-end.

Mrs. Smith of the Hardisty school staff, spent the holiday in the village.

There are some large Moose stories being told by our local hunters this week.

Mr. Leonard Gray has returned from Calgary where he was assisting A. P. Mitchell as clerk.

Miss Harrison, who has been assisting in a sale at Leduc, was seen in the village on Tuesday.

Mrs. Jean Rogers, teacher from Pipestone district, was a visitor in the village over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Mitchell have returned from Calgary, where Mr. Mitchell has just completed a four days' sale of antique furniture and china.

HILLSIDE U.F.A. NEWS

The regular monthly meeting of the Hillsdale U.F.A., which had been scheduled for T. Howes' home was held at the school house owing to the illness of Mrs. Howes. The attendance was large and enthusiastic, no less than seventeen visitors from three other locals being present.

After the reading and adoption of the minutes of previous meeting, letters were read from the Provincial Constituency Association, re forthcoming Convention at Wetaskiwin, Nov. 24th.

It was decided to send delegates, and J. O. Harvey and H. G. Young were elected and instructed as to their course of action. It was also decided that the new Municipal Hospital scheme should be brought up for discussion at this Convention.

The matter of the forthcoming debate with Lone Ridge Local was discussed at some length, and it was decided to accept their invitation to hold it in Lone Ridge hall on Nov. 28th, on the understanding that a return debate will be held at Hillsdale before spring.

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SWINE—Three Yorkshire Brood Sows, 13 Feeder Pigs, 10 small Pigs.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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***The Junior C.W.L. will hold a birthday tea on Saturday, November 16th, at Lively's, from 3 to 6 p.m. 25c.

***A Masquerade Dance under the auspices of the Chesterwood Women's Institute will be held in Chesterwood hall on Friday, Nov. 22, for the benefit of the Ponoka rest room. Prizes for best men's and ladies' costumes. Good music. Everybody come. 35-21n

***Keep in mind the C.W.L. Grand Bazaar on December 4th. Watch for further particulars. 30-4tn

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8 a.m.—Holy Communion.

2:30 p.m.—Sunday school.

7:30 p.m.—Evangelism and sermon.

Subject: "Faith and Faith."

Monday, Nov. 18—Girls' Branch of

W.A. will meet at the home of Miss L.

Walker.

Tuesday, Nov. 19—A.Y.P.A. will

meet at the Vicarage.

Confirmation Classes will be held

in the Church on Friday of next week

rather than Thursday. Senior class,

8:30 p.m. Junior 4:15 p.m.

Vicarage: Adjacent to church.

Phone 298.

FIRST UNITED CHURCH

Minister, Rev. A. L. Elliott, M.A., B.D.

Sunday, Nov. 17—

Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

2:30 p.m.—Sunday school.

The Young People will meet in the in-

stitute building.

The Official Board will meet at the

close of the evening service.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN

J. H. Molloy, Minister

Sunday, Nov. 17—

11 a.m.—Morning service.

12:15 p.m.—Sunday school.

7:30 p.m.—Evening service.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. O. H. Miller, pastor

Sunday, Nov. 17—

In Wetaskiwin: Sunday school at 10

Morning service at 11.

Saron, Clive—Sunday school at 10

a.m. Evening service at 7:30 p.m.

Wetaskiwin Luther League meet in

the church parlor, Tuesday evening,

Nov. 19.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

(Dickson Avenue)

Rev. Arthur Appel, Pastor

Sunday, Nov. 17—

10 a.m.—German.

12 noon—Sunday school.

7:30 p.m.—English.

Saturday school, 9:30 a.m. Religious

instruction and German.

SWEDISH BAPTIST CHURCH

P. M. Meyer, Minister

Sunday, Nov. 17—

Wetaskiwin: Sunday school, 11 a.m.

Gospel service 8 p.m. Topic: "The

exposure of the biggest liar in Wet-

askiwin and district.

Falm, schoolhouse—Young People's

Thanksgiving program will be re-

peated at 3 p.m.

Thursday, 8 p.m.—Prayer meeting.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

Oluf Asper, Pastor

Sunday, Nov. 17—

At Wang (Crooked Lake)—Sunday

school, 10 a.m.; English service, 11

a.m.

At Wetaskiwin—Sunday school,

10:30; Thanksgiving services, with

offering to Missions, 8 p.m. Services

conducted in the English language.

Special music.

THE SALVATION ARMY

Capt. Johnstone Lieut. Coxson

Sunday, Nov. 17—

Holiness meeting, 11 a.m.

Company meeting, 3 p.m.

Salvation meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday—Prayer meeting, 8 p.m.

Thursday—Public meeting, 8 p.m.

BROTHERHOOD BANQUET

A pleasant banquet was greatly en-

joyed in the United Church on Wed-

nesday, November 6th. About 30 boys

with their elder adopted brothers

were provided with a most dainty and

wholesome supper by the Ladies' Aid.

The program consisted of commu-

nity singing and an address by Rev. J.

A. Caldwell of Edmonton. Rev. A. L.

Elliott presided, Miss Redden was

planner and Carol Jacobs leader of

song.

Mr. Caldwell spoke on "Things Un-

thinkable in Life," and illustrated the

same by several scenes from real life.

All followed with rapt attention and

at different times broke into hilarious

laughter.

Each elder brother introduced his

younger to the gathering with some

incident of life.

Gordon East tendered a vote of

thanks to the speaker, and Alex Vars

to the ladies.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear husband and father, who passed away one year ago today, November 14, 1928.

Just as slumber slowly steals
After the setting sun;
Perfect slumber stole o'er thee
When thy life's work was done.

Here, free from sin, immortal
And fearless now I stand;
And none shall ever pluck me
Out of my Father's hand.

Now, may the Lord, in this world
So changing, help us be
Thy faith and love, an immortal
Monument to thee.

Mrs. Evelyn Carlson and Children.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Sehlisch wish, through the columns of The Wetaskiwin Times, to thank the nurses and staff of the Wetaskiwin Hospital for their kindness and consideration during Mrs. Sehlisch's recent illness.

WETASKIWIN MARKETS

Wednesday, November 13, 1929

No. 1 Northern 1.04

No. 2 Northern 1.01

No. 3 Northern97

No. 4 Wheat94

No. 5 Wheat84

Feed Wheat65

Oats47

Barley43

Rye37

Hogs 6.50

Steers 6.00 to 7.00

Cows 4.00 to 5.50

Lambs 7.00 to 7.50

Butter 45-48

Eggs 37-35-21

ANGUS THEATRE NEW NAME CONTEST NOTES

The management of the Angus Theatre has chosen a new name for the theatre. The name which is known only to the management, has been sealed in an envelope and given to Mayor Hugh J. Montgomery, who has kindly consented to place it in his safe until the close of the contest. Contest cards are issued with every adult and student ticket sold. Each patron can submit as many names as he or she wishes—providing only one name is written on each contest card.

On Wednesday evening, Nov. 20th, at 10 p.m., Mayor H. J. Montgomery will announce the new name of the theatre and also the names of the winners of contest. Twenty-five dollars will be given to the patron guessing the right one. Should more than one contestant guess the right name, the first correct one taken from the box will receive the twenty-five dollars, all others will each receive ten passes to theatre.

On Wednesday evening, Nov. 20th, special coupon tickets will be issued with every adult and student ticket sold. These will be dropped in a box and in the event of no one having guessed the right name of theatre, five tickets will be drawn from this box and the five coupon holders will each receive five dollars.

All patrons will please remember that Tuesday, Nov. 19th, at 11 p.m. is the very last minute that contest cards can be dropped in box.

BURIAL FRIDAY AT WETASKIWIN

Mark Murray, formerly of the Wetaskiwin district, died Thursday morning in a local hospital in his 77th year. Deceased was born in Devlin, County Westmeath, Ireland, coming to Canada in 1911 with his wife and family. He was a widower, his wife having predeceased him in 1917.

Surviving the late Mr. Murray are six daughters and three sons, living at various points in the prairie provinces. The body will be forwarded by Armstrong's funeral home Friday afternoon to Wetaskiwin for burial in the family plot—Calgary Alberta.

BORN

RAGAN—In Wetaskiwin on the 13th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. William Ragan, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Farley left on Monday to spend the winter at the coast. They will go to Denver for the present, and expect to drive through to the Mexican border where Mr. Farley will take the opportunity to study several species of semi-tropical birds. They will return to Vancouver to spend the winter.—Camrose Canadian.



Isn't it doggie—this new princess type Brevity Knicker! The little terrier is in smart French applique, and comes in several colours, matching his bow and the smooth bandings on the waist and knee.

We can show you many other Woods Brevities in our Underwear Department. Won't you come in and see them?

Of course, with the Woods Brevities you should wear the new Luxur Line extra long, pure silk, full fashioned hose.

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SEEDLESS RAISINS

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2 lbs. for 25c

CHIPS

Large pkg. 20c

LUX

..... 10c

WASHING POWDER

Oxydol 20c

BLOCK SALT

50 lbs. 80c

COARSE SALT

50 lbs. 80c

OCHS BROTHERS TELEPHONE 11

BIGGEST CANAL JOB SINCE BUILDING OF PANAMA CANAL

A Cincinnati dispatch states that President Hoover was present last week for the ceremony in connection with the completion of the 980 miles of nine-foot channel above Ohio river. It is stated to be the biggest job ever undertaken by the Federal government with the exception of the Panama canal. The project cost \$118,000,000. In the last twenty years, forty-nine locks and dams have been constructed by government engineers.

CAN'T AFFORD TO BE ANYTHING ELSE

A prominent New York clergyman in an interview praised religion. "Religion is a joyful thing," he said. "It's a mistake to think that the religious life is like life in a jail or poor house."

"Yet this mistake prevails. An agitator was addressing a band of strikers. 'Only \$12 a week!' he yelled. 'How can a man be a Christian on \$12 a week?' 'How,' yelled a voice, 'can he afford to be anything else?'"

CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned wish, through the columns of The Times, to express their heartfelt thanks for the sympathy and assistance extended them during their recent sad bereavement. They are especially grateful for the beautiful floral tributes.

E. E. CHANDLER & FAMILY.

The Times thoroughly covers Wetaskiwin an district. Advertising in it reaches practically all the people who shop in Wetaskiwin.

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MANY SMALL ITEMS, just the kind for Bridge and Christmas Gifts

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